

15. (new) A method according to claim 11 wherein  
the slip-preventer is applied to the shaped strip by extrusion.

16. (new) A method according to claim 11 wherein  
the slip-preventer is applied to the shaped strip by coextrusion.

17. (new) A method according to claim 11 wherein  
the slip-preventer is applied to the shaped strip by a hot coating method.

18. (new) A method according to claim 11 wherein  
the slip-preventer is applied to the shaped strip by a spray method.

19. (new) A method according to claim 11 wherein  
the slip-preventer is applied to the shaped strip by a dipping coating method.

20. (new) A method according to claim 11 wherein  
the slip-preventer is a coating applied on the shaped strip; and  
the coating is hardened by ultraviolet light.

21. (new) A method according to claim 11 wherein  
the slip-preventer is a coating applied of the shaped strip; and  
the coating is hardened by an electron-radiation source.